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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 23, 2003 (Paper No. 4), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

These amendments comply with the "Revised Amendment Format" set forth in the Official Gazette Notice dated February 25, 2003. accordance with the Notice, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. \$1.121(a)-(d) are waived.

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IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title as follows:

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OR SEQUENCE OF CONSECUTIVE IMAGES FROM BEING PARTIALLY
LOST DUE TO ACCIDENTAL ERASURE THEREOF